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FAIR

FINAL DESTRUCTION OF GERMAN ARMIES IS APPRECIABLY NEARER

Field Marshal Haig, Usually Ultra Conservative, Is Optimistic in Campaign Review.

Says Additions Gained by Germans Through Russian and Italian Failures Have Been Discounted.

Germans Lose to Both French and British in Trench Raids.

By Associated Press Dispatch.

French troops in the Woëvre have enlivened the virtual inactivity on the western front by penetrating the German lines east of St. Mihiel. The German positions on a one-mile front were penetrated and 150 prisoners and some machine guns were captured. After destroying the defenses and shelter the French returned to their own lines.

German troops in a local attack west-northwest of Cambrai entered the British trenches, but a counter attack ejected them and they left 18 prisoners in the hands of the British.

Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig in his review of the 1917 campaign up to mid-November says that the additional strength that the Germans have gained from the Russian and Italian failures have largely been discounted.

He declares the ultimate destruction of the German army has been brought appreciably nearer. The offensive campaign of the Germans planned for 1917 failed, he declared.

BERLIN REPORT

(By Associated Press Cable)

Berlin, January 9.—Strong French forces yesterday attacked the German positions on a front of more than a mile, west of Fliery, and penetrated the line of German posts, the German General Staff announced today. During the night the Germans counter attacked and forced the French back to their former positions.

RIOTS AGAIN BREAK FORTH IN PORTUGAL

(By Associated Press Cable)

Madrid, Spain, January 9.—Another outbreak has occurred in Portugal according to news reaching here from beyond the frontier. Crews of Portuguese warships mutinied and began bombarding the Lisbon forts, it is stated.

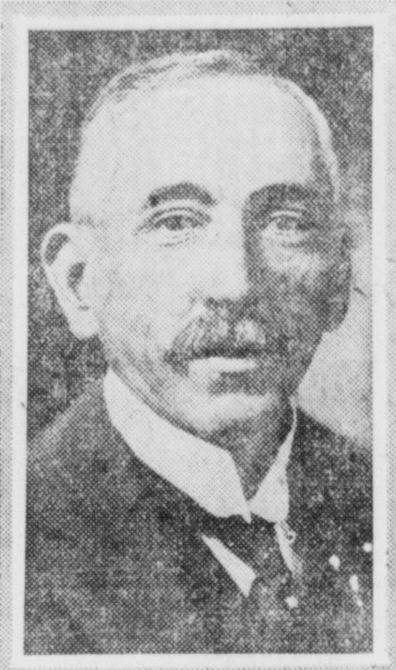
The army, it appears, remains faithful to the government and tranquility has been restored.

WARSHIP CREWS

The surrender of the crews of the warships is said to have marked the conclusion of the disturbance.

A revolution occurred in Portugal early in December, the government capitulating to the rebels after three days' fighting, during which 70 persons were killed and 300 to 400 were wounded. A new government was formed at that time.

PREMIER HUGHES



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The Nationalist Party of Australia, by a vote of 63 to 2, has resolved to retain Premier Hughes in the leadership, according to a dispatch from Melbourne.

CONSPIRACY IS UNEARTHED IN LOS ANGELES

Arrangements Made to Sell Stored Arms and Ammunition.

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Los Angeles, Cal., January 9.—Three men are under arrest here today as the result of an investigation by the United States army intelligence bureau into an alleged conspiracy to sell machine guns, ammunition and clothing valued at \$285,000. Machine guns stored in the basement of the Federal building, shown, it is alleged, by Federal civilian officials, to a government agent appearing to them in the role of a "buyer" are reported to have led to the arrests.

According to Federal officials, the arms and ammunition were offered for sale for the purpose of starting a revolution in Mexico.

FOUR CRUSHED UNDER WALLS

Chicago Firemen Meet Death, and Spectators Have Narrow Escape.

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Chicago, January 9.—Four firemen were killed and four injured probably fatally early today, when the walls of a moving picture theater collapsed while they were fighting the blaze.

Several hundred spectators who gathered in the street narrowly escaped injury when the walls fell. The deaths were laid indirectly to the recent blizzard.

FRENCH GUNS DISAPPEAR AFTER FIRING



This type of French disappearing gun was used effectively along the entire French front. The picture also gives an idea of the difficulty encountered when these guns are to be moved quickly to follow up an advance.

AMERICAN WOUNDED

Washington, January 9.—(Associated Press Dispatch)—General Pershing today reported that Private Arthur Snedeker, engineer, was seriously wounded in action, on December 31. No details of any engagement were given. E. O. Snedeker, his father, lives in Missouri.

"PSYCHOLOGICAL" MOMENT CHOSEN

Washington Generally Concedes that President Timed His Speech Well.

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, January 9.—Approval of President Wilson's address to Congress setting forth America's program for war and peace was heard on every side today, and the opinion seems universal that the President had chosen the psychological moment to counteract any evil effects of Germany's latest peace propaganda.

SUFFRAGETTES WIN IN PRELIMINARY

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, January 9.—Woman suffrage forces won another preliminary victory in the House today when the rules committee decided that the new suffrage committee and not the judiciary committee should have charge of the woman suffrage constitutional amendment resolution when it comes up for vote tomorrow.

CIRCLEVILLE FIRE IS FATAL TO TWO

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Circleville, O., January 9.—George Legore and wife were burned to death in an early morning fire that destroyed the Tremont Hotel here today.

They were guests and were on the third floor. All avenues of escape were shut off by flames when they were aroused.

BIG SURPLUS SUGAR SUPPLY IS TAKEN OVER

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Columbus, O., January 9.—An excess supply of 1200 barrels of sugar, held by the Catawba Candy Company of Sandusky was today ordered distributed to Cleveland and other northern Ohio points in need of sugar, by Fred Croxton, federal food administrator for Ohio.

RATE SYSTEM ADJUSTMENT NOW IN ORDER

Development of Government Control Comes Early.

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, January 9.—General readjustment of the country's complicated rate system to fight the new non-competitive situation will be one of the early outgrowths of government railroad operation, it was officially indicated today.

Many readjustments considered inevitable involve material increases in rates.

RATE DISCOVERY

The Inter-State Commerce Commission's attention has been called to a number of abnormally low rate schedules caused by competition, whose rivalry now has ceased.

Many officials believe the Inter-State Commerce Commission will have to take the initiative in revising rates.

NO MORE TRANSFERS

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, O., January 9.—Orders were issued today that no more troops would be transferred from Camp Sherman either to other camps or for overseas service until the epidemic of measles is stamped out.

LITTLE COMMON SENSE WOULD HAVE AVOIDED OHIO'S COAL FAMINE

Ohio Car Inspector Says Fuel Commission Is Entirely to Blame for Coal Shortage.

Governor Cox Was Told that a Young Lady in the Office Would Talk to Him

When He Called for Dr. Garfield for Relief on Coal Shortage.

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, January 9.—Blame for shortage of coal in Ohio was placed entirely on the fuel administration today by James Dugan, inspector of the railway division of the Ohio Utilities Committee, in testimony before the Senate investigating committee.

State authorities last summer, expecting difficulty in getting coal this winter, he said, inaugurated a plan of distribution that was meeting the needs until the fuel administration took charge.

Thousands of cars of coal were jammed at Lake ports when there were few ships to carry it to the northwest under the plan of the fuel administration, Mr. Dugan said.

Dugan charged that Fuel Administrator Garfield "made no apparent effort for relief," and that "common sense" used in issuance of the lake priority order would have prevented much of the trouble.

Just before Governor Cox of Ohio seized a quantity of coal to keep public utilities from closing and for distribution to points where people were suffering, the Governor tried to get Mr. Garfield on the telephone, and was informed that the fuel administrator could not talk, but "a young lady in the office would speak for him."

Governor Cox did not talk to the assistant, but called the White House.

"It is my opinion that if a practical and common sense administration had been employed in the coal situation there not only would have been sufficient coal but the fuel administration's efforts would have been crowned with success," Mr. Dugan testified. He severely criticized the methods of Dr. Garfield.

M'ADOO WILL TRY POOLING

If Plan Works Well it Will be Tried All Over Country.

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, January 9.—Pooling of the delivery facilities by mercantile establishments for use in unloading freights is being experimented with here to determine whether commercial trucks cannot solve the terminal congestion problem. If successful Director General McAdoo probably will extend the plan throughout the country.

At the House committee hearing here today Inter-State Commerce Commissioner Anderson submitted an amendment to the administration bill to determine depreciation of property.

Railroad employees, other than those comprising the four great brotherhoods, are pressing for a consideration of their interests by Director General McAdoo.

QUARANTINE AT SHERIDAN NO PASS OUT

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Camp Sheridan, Montgomery, Ala., January 9.—A sudden epidemic of smallpox in Montgomery yesterday resulted in an order forbidding any soldiers leaving camp for Montgomery, except on duty or with a pass from headquarters.

Military police are subjecting all uniformed men to inspection and require them to show passes before leaving camp.

DRASTIC MEANS TO PRESERVE FUEL

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Boston, January 9.—Drastic measures for the conservation of fuel and light are provided in an order issued today by Jas. Storrow, fuel administrator for New England, applicable throughout Massachusetts.

They include opening of business houses at 9:00 a. m., and closing at 5:00 p. m., and closing of theaters and bars at 10:00 p. m.

WILL BE GOOD SOLDIERS, TOO S. P. ASSERTS

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, January 9.—President Wilson's action in taking over the railroads was endorsed today by Julius Kruttschnitt, of the Southern Pacific, before the Senate Inter-State Commerce committee. The railroads, he said, were going to be good soldiers and continue to work loyally.

PAIR PINCHED SELLING WHISKEY

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, O., January 9.—William Hummel and Josephine E. Staley were taken in charge by the military police, last night, and Hummel faces a charge of selling whiskey to soldiers.

Eight soldiers were in the cellar of the Hummel place when the "pinch" was made.

NINE MISSING

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, January 9.—Nine men of the American steamer Lukenback, torpedoed and sunk January 6, are still missing, the Navy Department announced today, based on a report from Vice Admiral Sims.

The report stated that 22 members of the crew have been rescued.

MONOCLE MAY BAR HIM



AUSTIN CHAMBERLAIN

Austin Chamberlain, son of Joseph Chamberlain, the famous Englishman of the Unionist Party, was named as a possible successor to Sir Cecil Spring Rice, British Ambassador to the United States. Many persons have objected to his being chosen as Ambassador to the United States because of his fondness for the monocle, which would be likely to impair his usefulness as his country's representative at Washington.

BILL POSING AS CHAMPION OF HUMANITY

Kaiser Still Thinks Well of Himself, According to His Speech.

(Associated Press Cable)

Amsterdam, January 9.—Referring to himself as having been throughout his reign the champion of principles making for the welfare of humanity, Emperor William assured of his full support the delegation of the Polish Regency council which he received recently, a Berlin dispatch says.

The Emperor spoke in reply to the address presented by the delegates who expressed gratitude for the restoration of the independent Polish kingdom.

FIRST PLACE TO WILSON'S LATE SPEECH

(By Associated Press Cable)

London, January 9.—President Wilson's speech, like all his other utterances since the United States entered the war, takes the leading place in both the news and editorial columns of the press.

One paper describes it as "the magna charta of future peace."

HOSPITAL SHIP IS TORPEDOED

(By Associated Press Cable)

London, January 9.—The hospital ship Rewa was torpedoed and sunk in the Bristol Channel on January 4th, while on her way from Gibraltar, it was announced today.

All the wounded were saved. There were three casualties among the crew.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY FAYETTE FISH AND GAME SOCIETY

Prizes Are Awarded and Plans Made for Coming Banquet, Which Will be Held on First Day of February—Old President Re-elected.

At the regular session of the Fish and Game Association, the officers for the year were chosen, prizes awarded and the date of the annual banquet fixed on February 1st.

W. H. Icenhower, who has given such general satisfaction as president the past year, was re-elected head of the association; Howard Allen was chosen vice-president, Ellis Daugherty secretary and C. P. Ballard treasurer.

A resolution was adopted by unanimous vote abolishing dues of members who are in the U. S. military service and they will be honorary members until after the war. Every one of the 50 men present heartily favored this action.

In addition to fixing the date for the annual banquet, the following committee was named to handle the big event; J. Earl McLean, chairman, Bert Ellis, Ed Fite, Orme Boown, Geo. Sunkel, Grant Coffman, Robert McLean, M. E. Hitchcock, C. N. Baer and Frank Blessing, who all will be rest assured that the banquet will be taken care of properly. It is understood the above committee has power to commandeer any assistance necessary.

The big list of prizes offered for the largest fish of different species caught by members of the association during the past year, were awarded as follows:

Class A.—Natural Bait: First, Howard Holland, Compton creek, 4 lbs. 1 1/2 ounces; second, Howard Harley, Deer creek, 3 pounds 12 3/4 ounces; third, G. L. McAllister, Deer creek, 3 pounds 3 1/4 ounces; fourth, Roy Flowers, Deer creek, 3 pounds 6 1/4 ounces; fifth, A. J. Kearney, Compton creek, 2 pounds 15 ounces; sixth, R. S. Sanderson, Paint, 2 pounds 12 ounces; seventh, Glenn M. Pine, Deer creek, 2 pounds 11 1/8 ounces; eighth, Ed Fite, North Fork, 2 pounds 11 ounces; ninth, O. S. Tobin, Paint, 2 pounds 10 3/4 ounces; tenth, J. W. Charles, Rattlesnake, 2 pounds 9 ounces; eleventh, O. D. Maddux, Compton, 2 pounds 8 ounces; twelfth, Frank Blessing, North Fork, 2 pounds 7 ounces; thirteenth, George Cheney, Compton, 2 pounds 6 7/8 ounces; fourteenth, Mose Dowler, Paint, 2 pounds 6 ounces. There were 65 entries in the above class.

Class B, Artificial Bait—First, Jake Sexton, Paint, 3 pounds 3 ounces; second, Andrew Reichert, Compton, 3 pounds 3 ounces; third, Albert Flowers, Compton, 2 pounds 9 ounces; fourth, Harold Anderson, North Fork, 2 pounds 8 ounces; fifth, H. E. Daugherty, Rattlesnake, 2 pounds 3 ounces; sixth, Will Elliott, Paint, 2 pounds 2 3/4 ounces; seventh, Asa Flowers, Deer creek, 2 pounds 1 1/4 ounce; eighth, Ursa Thornhill, Rattlesnake, 1 pound 15 ounces; ninth, Joe S. Hidy, Sugar creek, 1 pound 15 ounces; tenth, W. H. Icenhower, Deer creek, 1 pound 12 1/2 ounces; eleventh, Edgar Snyder, Paint, 1 pound 12 1/4 ounces; twelfth, Arch Riber, North Fork, 1 pound 11 ounces; thirteenth, Ardie Sellman, Sugar creek, 1 pound 10 1/2 ounces.

Class C, Rock Bass—First, Will Jefferson, Paint, 11 1/4 ounces; second, Wm. Anderson, Sugar creek, 11 ounces; third, Frank DeWitt, Compton creek, 10 ounces; fourth, Geo. Flowers, Paint, 8 ounces.

Class D, Catfish—First, W. R. Smith, Paint, 12 pounds 12 3/4 ounces; second, Grant Coffman, North Fork, 4 pounds 14 3/4 ounces; third, C. S. Haver, Deer creek, 2 pounds 14 ounces.

Class E, Fish caught by sons of members—First, Burke Kearney, son of A. J. Kearney, Paint, Carp, 6 lbs. 8 3/4 ounces.

Class F, Ladies Class—First, Mrs. Con Ducey, Deer creek, 2 pounds 7

FOR SALE!

Personal property of C. Frank McCormick, including wearing apparel, household furniture and fixtures, china and glassware, beds and bed clothing, etc.

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89c yd

Victrolas

JESS W. SMITH

Victrolas

INTOXICATED AND DRAWS \$25 FINE

L. R. Highland was before Mayor V. J. Dahl, Tuesday night, charged with operating an automobile while in an intoxicated condition.

Upon his plea of guilty he was fined \$25 and the costs.

The arrest grew out of an auto collision on East street, said to have been due to the accused man's careless driving.

TAX COLLECTION

Tuesday's tax collection was: at Good Hope, \$2826.23; at treasurer's office \$6534.56. Total to date \$110,796.75.

N. H. MAYER

President of Norfolk and Western Road Started in as a Surveyor.



Paris, Jan. 9.—The French general, Lige, commanding the artillery on the Italian front has been killed in action.

RUSS-GERMAN PEACE CONFAB

(Associated Press Cable.)

Amsterdam, January 9.—The leaders of the delegations representing Russia and the Central Powers held a preliminary discussion yesterday, disposing of questions of procedure, according to a report received here today.

Later representatives of the Central Powers held a conference with the Ukrainians.

TWO OF CREW HELD PRISONER BY GERMANS

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, January 9.—Two men from the destroyer Jacob Jones, submerged on December 6th, are now held prisoner in Germany, it was officially announced today.

Through the Red Cross the navy has learned one of the men is Albert DeMello, a sampan of New Bedford, Mass., and the other John Murphy, a cook, of Newport, R. I.

Six Men Injured.

Columbus, Jan. 9.—The bursting of a tube in a boiler head of the heating plant of the Chittenden hotel resulted in the injury of six men, one probably fatally. Chancery Bowers was directly in front of the boiler when the tube blew. He received the full force of the escaping steam in the face, and his body was enveloped in the scalding vapor.

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PALMER'S

CLOTHING.

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SHOES.

SHERMAN CAMP FILM TO BE SHOWN

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Camp Sherman, January 9.—The moving picture taken of Camp Sherman troops has been officially named "Remaking of a Nation" and will be

shown in both houses of Congress this week.

The picture is regarded as the best of any taken at any of the cantonments, and will be sent to all neutral countries and allied countries, as well as shown throughout the United States. It will be shown in every cantonment in the United States, as Camp Sherman is the model cantonment of the country.

They work while you rest—Herald Classified adds.

RUSS APPRECIATE WILSON'S SPEECH

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, January 9.—The Russian embassy today issued a statement of appreciation of President Wilson's reference to the Russian people in his address to Congress.

Bargain Time Is Here!

FOR

WASHINGTON HERALD Subscribers

Beginning Monday, Dec. 10th, and continuing until further order, the Herald will open its annual bargain month subscription offer, available ONLY TO SUBSCRIBERS RECEIVING THE HERALD BY MAIL OUTSIDE OF WASHINGTON C. H., OHIO.

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Stated Communication Fayette Lodge No. 107, F. & A. M., Wednesday, January 9th. Officers and brethren be present at 7:00 p. m. Work in F. C.

WALTER E. ELLIS, W. M.
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NOTICE

There will be a meeting of the Professional and Business Women's Bible class at the Baptist church this evening at 7 o'clock.

SECRETARY.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

George Bell, 38, farmer, and Lora Smart, 26.



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Let Us Hope

President Wilson's address to Congress, assembled in joint session, Monday furnished the climax, for the time at least, to a series of events which may bring Germany to a peace parley to discuss terms that, only a few days ago, would have been conceded to be impossible.

The Prussian military power, confident of its grip upon the German people, permitted the socialists to secure the ratification, by the Reichstag, of a proposal of peace on the basis of no indemnities, and no annexations—a proposal which the imperial masters and war lords had no intention of adhering to in good faith. Then followed the intrigues in Russia which resulted in the overthrow of Kerensky and the elevation of the extreme radicals.

Accepting the Reichstag proposal in good faith, Russia ceased to play an offensive part in the war and sought terms upon the proposal of the Reichstag resolution which reflected the best thought of the German people.

The peace negotiation early disclosed the intention of the war lords to violate the Reichstag promise and to demand and hold all conquered territory.

The integrity of the German empire, its territorial preservation for the German people is assured—no annexations and no indemnities—but a guarantee of the destruction of the war machinery is insisted upon.

Germany is in a turmoil. The people want peace. The Reichstag resolution correctly mirrors German desire. The war lords are rebellious and the chasm widens between the people and the military. The allied nations have come into closer union, have, or have come nearer to securing than ever before, the confidence of the German people.

Autocracy is nearer the precipice in Germany today than ever before and because at last, the war lords seem caught in the noose of their own duplicity and intrigue. The disclosure of the war power's cloven hoof may have permanently alienated the Bolshevik rank and file and brought an awakening to others beside the plodding Russians.

Seed Corn

The fact that good seed corn is bringing a price now of ten dollars per bushel and more, is proof of how rapidly the science of farming is advancing and how profitable and thoroughly practical it is for the men who till the soil to keep in touch with the best thought and the latest improvements and advances.

It's not so very long ago, that seed corn was the first corn which the farmer took out of his own or his neighbor's crib, when planting time came along, in the spring.

The most accessible corn—that nearest the crib door at planting time was the seed corn.

That's not true any more. Seed corn nowadays means something. It means that the best corn—corn with the germ of life preserved and healthy—is carefully selected and preserved for seed.

In that other time we didn't have so much trouble about seed corn, but we had more, when harvest time came, in labor lost and crops short.

Nowadays the farmer who doesn't climb on the wagon of progress and stick there is going to lose out.

An Amendment

There are certain presumptions which obtain in the newspaper business just as there are in law and those presumptions are conclusive, too, they can't be questioned.

But that's only preliminary. A few days ago a man in Washington refused to contribute to the Red Cross fund and, according to reports, was able to do so, but refused, indulging in some very uncomplimentary remarks about the organization. In reporting the incident it was stated that the man was either a fool or pro-German.

Since that time we have learned more about the facts. The man, who has done service himself and has sons in the service now, probably has some excuse for feeling that, in his individual case, the Red Cross organization "somewhere" did not render very much assistance to "someone" near and dear to him.

Because some individual failed in a crisis he condemns the whole organization.

That man is foolish in so doing and he is pro-German too, Not intentionally, because the man is loyal at heart. He doesn't realize that blaming the splendid organization on account of the remissness of an individual is foolish. He doesn't realize that, by hindering the work of the Red Cross, he is assisting Germany, but he is just as certainly as the sun shines.

Since hearing the man's side of the story the wrongful intent vanishes and the published item should be amended to read foolish and pro-German in effect. The word "fool" was perhaps too strong and "pro-German" unqualified, misleading.

But any way we hope this man, who seems really all right, will see the error of his way.

Poetry For Today

"CARRY ON"
You, too, are ones who "carry on"—
You girls—without a chance to don
A soldier's uniform.

And though your rifle is a cord;
And though your trench is but a
board,
In truth you "carry on."

You help the mills of business go;
You pass the calls of joy and woe,
O death, and birth, and love;
And though but few can see your
fight,

The few who know you, know how
bright
Your tickets read above.

For we have seen you when the fires,
And floods and cyclones took your
wires;
And still you "carry on."
When dancers threatened you, you
stayed
And fought a man's fight undismayed.
We know you "carry on."

So "carry on" we say to you—
You form an army just as true
As men who wield the sword.
And though you can't get in the fray
You "do your bit" to win the day,
And seek no great reward.

By G. A. Nancarrow.
(Author's Note:—In America we
say "We'll go through"; the British
say "We'll carry on.")

Weather Report

Washington, January 9.—Forecast
for Wednesday and Thursday:
Ohio — Snow Wednesday; Thurs-
day cloudy, probably local snows.
Indiana — Local snows Wednesday;
Thursday fair, somewhat colder in
south portion.
Illinois — Partly cloudy in north,
snow in south portion Wednesday;
Thursday probably snow, continued
cold.

WEATHER FORECAST

Ohio—Cloudy; probably local
snows.

Daily Calendar.
From noon today to noon to-
morrow. Sun sets, 4:52; moon
rises, 4:21 a. m.; sun rises, 7:23.

CLIMATOLOGICAL CHART.

1:00 o'clock p. m.
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Barometer 29.86

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Ohio 53 1/4; Erie 15 1/2; Kennecott Cop-
per 32; Louisville & Nashville 114;
Midvale Steel 46 1/2; Norfolk 3 1/2; West-
ern 104; Ohio Cities Gas 38 1/2; Re-
public Iron and Steel 77 1/2; United
States Steel 94 1/2; Wills Overland
17 1/2.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.
Chicago, January 9.—Hogs — Re-
ceipts 20000; market slow; bulk
\$16.25@16.60; light \$15.80@16.65;
mixed \$16.00@16.65; heavy \$15.90@16.75;
pigs \$15.90@16.10; pigs
\$12.50@15.50.
Cattle — Receipts 10000; market
strong; native beef cattle \$8.15@13.75;
stockers and feeders \$6.85@10.75;
calves \$8.50@15.50.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 5000;
market strong; wethers \$9.70@13.35;
lambs \$14.00@17.75.

Pittsburg, January 9.—Hogs—Re-
ceipts 2000; market active; heavies
\$17.10@17.15; heavy yorkers \$17.15@17.20
light yorkers \$17.20@17.25;
pigs \$14.00@16.00.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 500;
market steady; top sheep \$13.00; top
lambs \$18.00.
Calves—Receipts 100; market steady;
top \$17.00.

East Buffalo, January 9.—Cattle —
Receipts 125; market steady.
Veal—Receipts 100; market steady
Hogs — Receipts 2200; market
strong; heavies \$17.20@17.75; mixed
\$17.60@17.70; yorkers \$17.50@17.60;
light yorkers \$16.50@16.75; pigs and
roughs \$16.25@16.50; stags \$14.00@15.00.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 600;
market active; lambs \$13.00@18.50;
unchanged.

Cincinnati, O., January 9. —Hogs—
Receipts 4400; market low; packers
and butchers \$16.75.
Cattle—Strong.
Calves—Steady.
Lambs—Steady.

GRAIN MARKET
CLOSE
Chicago, January 9.—Corn — Jan.
\$1.27 1/2; May \$1.25 1/2.
Oats—Jan. 79 1/2; May 76.
Pork—May \$45.22; Jan. \$45.75.
Lard—May \$24.50; Jan. \$24.12.
Ribs—May \$24.15; Jan. \$23.70.

CLOVER SEED
Prime cash (old) \$17.65; (new)
\$17.75; January \$17.75; February
\$17.75; March \$17.17.

ALSIKE
Prime cash \$14.80.
TIMOTHY
Prime cash (old) \$4.05; (new)
\$4.15; March \$4.30.

THE LOCAL MARKET
Wheat \$2.07
Corn \$1.25
Oats 70c

WASHINGTON PRODUCE MARKET
Butter 40c
Young Chickens 18c
Eggs 52c
Hens 15c
Creamery Butter (retail) 53c

JITNEY MONOPOLY
IS NOW ALLEGED

By Associated Press Dispatch.
Washington, Jan. 9.—On complaint
of Garrett S. Claypool, son of Repre-
sentative Claypool, Secretary of War
Baker has ordered an investigation of
the charge that Major General Edwin
F. Glenn, commanding officer at the
Chillicothe cantonment, has granted
concessions that are not in the public
interest or in the interest of the sol-
diers at the camp. One of these is an
alleged jitney monopoly said to have
been granted to T. J. Fay of Clevel-
and, who, after receiving the con-
cession, reduced from 450 to 35 the
number of jitneys operating between
the camp and city and simultaneously
raised prices 100 per cent. Another
charge is that civilian vendors have
been granted concessions to sell their
goods on the military reservation and
that they charge prices 50 to 100 per
cent higher than merchants charge in
the town.

ALLIES READY
FOR THE SHOCK

Washington, Jan. 9.—A gigantic
German thrust on the west front,
"possibly their greatest assault" dur-
ing the war, is impending, Secretary
of War Baker declared in his weekly
military review. The delay in the as-
sault, predicted weeks ago by the
German press and allied war chiefs,
has been due to the time necessary
for concentration of "large troop
masses, adequate artillery and ample
reserves of munitions," Baker said.
He counsels the American people, "on
the eve of a possible German offen-
sive," to recall that the allies in the
past have always come out victorious.
On the Italian front, the secretary
points out, French successes have
turned the scale against the Austro-
German invaders and the west bank
of the Piave is being held firmly.
Hampered by heavy snowfalls in the
Alps, he says, the invader now is con-
fronted with a tremendous handicap
of maintaining his transport, which
neutralizes the advantage of holding
higher ground.

WILL COLLECT WAR
MATERIAL FOR KEEPS

Columbus, O., January 9.—A spe-
cial department which will be located
in the library building of Ohio State
University has been created to collect
war maps and other material connect-
ed with the war, for use in the univer-
sity's library.
Ohio State University has been ask-
ed by the American Library Associa-
tion to compile references relating to
the different methods employed
throughout the country for the canning
of all foods to increase the production
of foodstuffs.

Boston, Jan. 9.—Speaking at an im-
migration conference held here, Har-
rison H. Wheaton of the federal bu-
reau of labor, declared that enemies
of this country were spending more
in New York in one month in work-
ing up "un-Americans" to acts against
the United States than the govern-
ment expends in a year in its investi-
gation bureau and secret service com-
bined. The problem now, he said, "is
whether we shall allow that great
mass of 13,000,000 un-Americans to
become 13,000,000 anti-Americans."
These people, he declared, are easily
influenced and many of the fires and
other acts tending to obstruct war
activities have been traced to aliens
who would have been more or less
harmless but for German propaganda.

McAdoo's Appeal to Railroaders.
Washington, Jan. 9.—Director Gen-
eral McAdoo addressed an appeal to
railroad officers and employees to do
their best to maintain efficient rail-
road service as a patriotic duty, say-
ing "every officer and employee is
just as important a factor in winning
the war as the men in uniform who
are fighting in the trenches." He
promised to consider labor problems
"justly and fairly and at the earliest
possible moment."

AS YOU LIKE IT

Rear Admiral Albion V. Wadsworth
has been assigned to the Red Cross
as representative of the navy to co-
ordinate Red Cross and navy work.
Plans for the establishment of an
aerial postal service between France
and England are rapidly approaching
realization.
Eight United States citizens, em-
ployed on the Panama canal, have
been discharged for profession of
pro-German sympathies. All are of
German or Austrian descent.
Children of the public schools of
Paris have sent circulars to the
school children throughout France
asking them to subscribe one cent
each for the adoption of American
war-orphan.
A. L. Jacobs, stage manager of the
Majestic theater, Chicago, who has
had only one day's vacation in 39
years, was bequeathed \$50,000 by
George Castle, veteran theater man-
ager, who died recently in Florida.

Few Newspaper and Magazine
Bargains For January

Ohio State Journal
and Stockman \$3.50
Columbus Dispatch \$3.00
Commercial Tribune \$2.50
Delineator and Everybodies
One year \$2.00
Woman's Home Companion \$1.50
American \$2.00. Both \$2.75
Women's H. C., 2 years for \$2.50
To any of the above offers
you may add \$2.75 for one
year's Mail subscription to
The Daily Herald.

I can furnish you any magazine
and newspaper. Can arrange your
clubs to suit you. Send orders direct
to me; if sent to publishers I get no
commission. My price is as low and
many times lower to you.

PERRILL JONES
Sheriff's Res., Washington C. H.

STOMACH UPSET?

Get at the Real Cause—Take Dr.
Edwards' Olive Tablets

That's what thousands of stomach
sufferers are doing now. Instead of
taking tonics, or trying to patch up a
poor digestion, they are attacking the
real cause of the ailment—clogged liver
and disordered bowels.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets arouse the
liver in a soothing, healing way. When
the liver and bowels are performing their
natural functions, away goes indigestion
and stomach troubles.

If you have a bad taste in your
mouth, tongue coated, appetite poor,
lazy, don't-care feeling, no ambition or
energy, troubled with undigested foods,
you should take Olive Tablets, the sub-
stitute for calomel.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a
purely vegetable compound mixed with
olive oil. You will know them by their
olive color. They do the work without
gripping, cramps or pain.

Take one or two at bedtime for quick
relief, so you can eat what you like.
At 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

W. R. C.
Woman's Relief Corps, the regular
meeting of W. R. C. in Memorial Hall
Thursday, January 10 at 1:30 p. m.
sharp. Installation of officers. All
members urged to be present.
SECRETARY.

Buy, sell, rent and find lost articles
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LEGAL NOTICE

In the Probate Court of Fayette
County, Ohio.

A. F. Campbell, as guardian of Mary
E. Campbell, an insane person, Plain-
tiff.

vs.
Mary E. Campbell, an insane person,
Laura Campbell, Ruth Campbell, Dot
Campbell, Jennett Campbell McGin-
nis, Defendants.

To Mary E. Campbell, an insane
person, Laura Campbell, Ruth Cam-
pbell, Dot Campbell, and Jennett
Campbell McGinnis.

You are hereby notified that on the
fourth day of December, 1917, A. F.
Campbell, as guardian of Mary E.
Campbell, filed in the Probate Court
of Fayette County, Ohio, a petition
the object and prayer of which is to
procure an order of said court to im-
prove and repair the dwelling house
and other buildings upon the real es-
tate in which the said Mary E. Cam-
pbell owns a life estate, situate in the
County of Fayette, State of Ohio, and
in the city of Washington, and de-
scribed as follows to-wit:

Beginning at a point in the South
line of Market street, corner to Moses
Gross; thence in an Easterly direc-
tion with the line of said street 82 1/2
feet, corner to Julia Kennedy; thence
in a Southerly direction with a line
of said Kennedy 165 feet to a point
corner to said Kennedy in the line of
an alley; thence in a Westerly direc-
tion with the line of said alley to a
point corner to Moses Gross; thence
with his line in a Northern direction
165 feet to the place of beginning.

The application therefore will be
for hearing by said court on the 12th
day of January, 1918, at nine o'clock
a. m., at which time unless you show
cause to the contrary an order will be
asked as prayed for in said petition
dated this fourth day of December,
1917.

A. F. CAMPBELL,
Guardian of Mary E. Campbell,
an insane person.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE
(Revised, December 3, 1917.)

BALTIMORE & OHIO
Midland Division
GOING WEST GOING EAST
No. Cincinnati No. Columbus
35.....5:06 a. m. \$32.....4:47 a. m.
*31.....7:41 a. m. \$34.....10:45 a. m.
33.....3:34 p. m. \$38.....5:43 p. m.
37.....6:13 p. m. \$36.....10:48 p. m.
Wellston Division
\$67.....7:50 a. m. \$68.....9:00 a. m.
\$69.....5:50 p. m. \$70.....6:20 p. m.

PENNSYLVANIA LINES
GOING WEST GOING EAST
No. Cincinnati No. Zanesville
*509.....9:40 a. m. \$508.....9:40 a. m.
*519.....3:55 p. m. \$518.....5:42 a. m.
Sunday to Cincinnati.....7:40 a. m.
Sunday to Lancaster.....8:28 p. m.

DETROIT TOLEDO & IRONTON.
GOING NORTH GOING SOUTH
No. Springfield No. Greenfield
*2.....7:41 a. m. \$5.....9:45 a. m.
*6.....3:20 p. m. \$1.....6:55 p. m.
Sunday 6:55 p. m. Sunday 8:50 a. m.
* Daily except Sunday.
\$ Daily.

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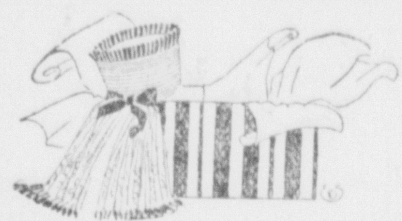
You Did Not Expect A Sale of Gossard Corsets This Season



Nor did we, for the steadily advancing price of all merchandise made it seem improbable that Gossard Corsets, in which the highest standard of manufacture must at all times be maintained, could be offered at sale prices. Happily an unusual market condition has made it possible for us to obtain some Gossards that we are offering at the following remarkable prices:

\$5.00 Gossards\$3.50
\$3.50 Gossards\$2.50

Our discriminating clientele will appreciate these unprecedented values—the world-famed Gossards correctly interpreting the new silhouette of the mode, insuring your health, and offering a wearing service that alone is worth any price you may pay—these incomparable corsets offered at practically the manufacturing cost. We cannot too strongly emphasize this unusual opportunity. The stock is necessarily limited, and we therefore suggest an early inspection—today, if possible.

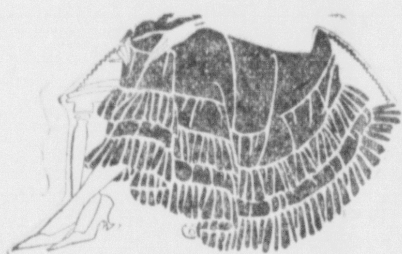


Clearaway Prices On All Neckwear

Here is certainly a golden opportunity to get your share of the season's popular styles in Neckwear. You must see the assortments to really appreciate the offering.

ALL 25c COLLARS AND SETS FOR YOUR CHOICE 19c
ALL 50c COLLARS AND SETS FOR YOUR CHOICE 39c
ALL COLLARS AND SETS FROM \$1.00 NOW ONE-FOURTH OFF
FINE SCARFS KNITTED OF SILK AND WOOL, FORMERLY PRICED AT \$1.50 AND \$2.50, NOW 98c and \$1.49
FANCY BOUDOIR SETS CONSISTING OF CAPS AND Dainty SLIPPERS TO MATCH, REDUCED FROM \$2.50 to \$1.95
YOU CAN ALSO HAVE YOUR CHOICE OF ANY BOUDOIR CAP NOW AT ONE-FOURTH OFF

All Petticoats REDUCED



Who will not want one of these beautiful garments at these low prices? Prettiest ones we have ever had and we can assure you the price will never be so cheap again. These silk ones come either in taffetas, satins, jersey and satin and jersey combinations, in both regular and extra sizes.

Those formerly worth \$3.95, now	\$2.95
Those formerly worth \$4.45, now	\$3.45
Those formerly worth \$4.95, now	\$3.75
Those formerly worth \$5.45, now	\$3.95
Those formerly worth \$5.95, now	\$4.25
Those formerly worth \$6.50, now	\$4.95
Those formerly worth \$6.75, now	\$5.25
Those formerly worth \$7.00, now	\$5.45
Very special table of heavy satin petticoats in flowered designs, also plain colors in black, white, navy and copper, most unusual values—choice	79c

Buy Furs Now For Next Winter

High prices have naturally made some economical women defer the buying of Furs, but now, garments, sets and single pieces can be purchased at materially reduced Clearance Sales prices which puts stylish Furs within the reach of all. To make the prices uniform throughout we have decided to offer our entire stock at

ONE-THIRD OFF

This is an opportunity you should not miss.
All Children's Furs
Are included in this offering.

Note the Clearaway Prices on The Many Different Items Listed Below

Choice of any Flannelette Gown now only 75c
Large assortment Ladies' Flannelette Dressing Saques, choice 69c

ONE LOT OF SMALL SIZE PERCALE DRESSING SAQUES IN SHORT SLEEVES. A FIND FOR THOSE WHO ARE SMALL ENOUGH TO WEAR THEM. CHOICE 19c
CHOICE OF ALL CHILDREN'S AND WOMEN'S BATH ROBES ONE-FOURTH OFF
ALL WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S RAINCOATS ONE-FOURTH OFF
ON KIMONAS, EXCEPTIONAL VALUES ARE OFFERED AT 79c, \$1.19 and \$1.98
CHILDREN'S KNIT ROMPER SUITS \$1.00 and \$1.25 VALUES, NOW 49c
ALL BOYS' SUITS ROMPERS AND CREEPERS, CHOICE ONE-FOURTH OFF



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The Most Important Selling Commences This

See The Splendid Offering of R

Save and Serve. It's our Country's message to all patriotic women to help you "do your bit." We'll Serve You so that you can save money and give you a substantial relief from the present financial conditions at Radical Price Reductions. There's a Multitude of Savings



A COMPLETE CLEARANCE OF ALL CHILDREN'S APPAREL IS CERTAIN IN THIS SALE

JUST THINK, EVERY CHILD'S COAT AND EVERY DRESS IS NOW OFFERED FOR ONE-HALF OFF BARGAINS AFTER BARGAINS ARE TO BE FOUND IN THIS OFFERING AND IT WILL PAY YOU TO BUY FOR FUTURE NEEDS.

SPLENDID Women's and Children's

Here Are Wonderful Opportunities to Purchase Women's



Each Garment in the offering is a Smart and fashionable model of this season's most favored styles.

Many Have Waited for Stutson's Coat Clearing

IT IS HERE NOW —TAKE ADVANTAGE OF IT.
All coats up to \$16.50, now \$8.45
All Coats up to \$22.50, now \$12.75
All Coats up to \$29.75, now \$16.75
All Coats up to \$39.50, now \$19.75
All Coats up to \$44.50, now \$29.75
All Coats up to \$79.50, now \$34.50
BUY ONE OF THE COATS AND SAVE

A WONDERFUL

NEVER BEFORE COMPLETE AN ASSORTMENT OF ALMOST ANY OF THE LATEST STYLES OF WOOL, EVERY PRICED AT A LOW PRICE. YOU MUST SEE THEM EVEN IF YOU

Our Great Semi-Annual Sale of Waists

Will Be Better Than Ever This Season

HUNDREDS OF THE SEASON'S SMARTEST BLOUSES WILL BE OFFERED AT PRICES WHICH IS LESS THAN THE MATERIAL ALONE WOULD COST TODAY. EVERY ONE REMEMBERS OUR PAST WAIST SALES, SO DON'T FORGET THIS ONE. EVERY WAIST IN THIS SALE AT REDUCED PRICES.



One table of Georgette Crepe and Crepe de Chine Blouses, in a large assortment of styles and colors, formerly worth up to \$5.00, now \$2.29
Two tables of Georgette Crepe, Crepe de Chine, Washable Satin, Fancy Taffetas, etc., in every color imaginable, formerly selling at \$5.85, now only \$3.79
All other Blouses up to \$7.45, in every color, material and style, very special at, choice \$4.95
All Blouses up to \$12.50 will sell and sell quickly at the very low price \$6.95
Regular \$2.00 Welworth Blouses, which are moderately priced at \$2.00, Now your choice \$1.69
Special table of fine linen tailored Blouses, very fashionable indeed, and moderately priced at \$1.95
One table of slightly soiled Wash Waists, all sizes and kinds, very special \$1.19
During this sale all Wirthmore Waists will sell at the uniform price, choice 75c

Serve and Save



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STUTSON'S



Clearance Sales

Events of the Past Two Years

Thursday, Jan. 10th

Economic Buying Opportunities

Citizens, and, as merchants, we are better prepared than ever to **Can Save.** We are going to make these January Clearance most of living by offering you great stocks of merchandise **During These Sales.**

Clearances of Coats, Suits and Dresses

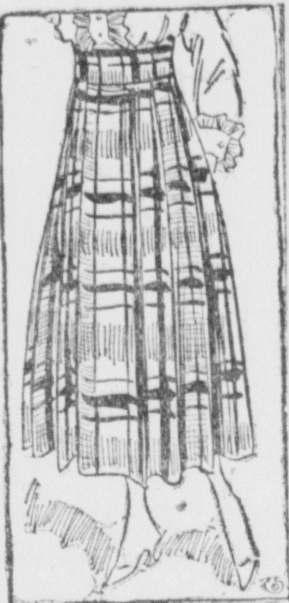
Wear Apparel at Fractions of Their True Worth and Value



It's only to make room in our store that such reduced prices are in order to guarantee quick clearance.

The Best of the Season's Skirts

Are Reduced As Fine and Stylish as As sortment of the Smartest Skirts as we have ever sold



ARE NOW BEING OFFERED AT PRICES THAT EVERY WOMAN OF FASHION WILL CONSIDER EXCEPTIONALLY LOW. JUST COME IN DURING THE JANUARY CLEARANCE SALES AND SEE THESE.

One rack of Skirts in a large and varied assortment of materials and colors in both regular and extra sizes, formerly worth up to \$6.00, now.....\$3.45

ALL OTHER SKIRTS WILL NOW SELL ONE-FOURTH OFF.

OF DRESSES

PLACED SO COM- OF DRESSES IN A SON'S MANY DIP- IN EITHER SILK ALL BE ONE-FOURTH OFF UNDERFUL VALUES WISH TO BUY.

A Great and Final Clearance of All Suits.

ALL SUITS ARE NOW REDUCED TO A FRACTION OF FORMER COST. YOU WILL SAVE MANY A DOLLAR ON A SUIT PURCHASED NOW FOR FUTURE NEEDS.

All Suits up to \$20.00 now.....\$ 7.95
All Suits up to \$37.50, now.....\$14.50
All Suits up to \$69.00, now.....\$24.50
You Cannot Afford to Miss This Opportunity.

TEMPTING REDUCTIONS In Silks and Dress Fabrics

THE BEST OF THIS SEASON'S PATTERNS, WEAVES, COLORS AND TEXTILES ARE NOW BEING OFFERED AT THE MOST MODERATE PRICES THAT WERE EVER CHARGED FOR SUCH HIGH QUALITY MATERIALS. THESE CLEARANCE SALES WILL PROVIDE ANY WANTED FABRIC AT AN EXCEPTIONALLY LITTLE COST. COME MAKE YOUR SELECTIONS NOW AND GET THE BEST OF THE SPLENDID OFFERINGS.

One small lot of plain taffetas 36 in. wide and 40 in. Colleen Poplins, very special, per yard85c
One table of 36 in. fancy taffeta worth up to \$3.00 in a great clearance at per yard\$1.39
One table of 36 in. plain and fancy satins worth up to \$2.75 per yard, wonderful values for\$1.19
Very special assortment of 36 in. and 40 in. Satin E-Toile in all the evening shades, worth up to \$3.00, choice\$1.59
One lot of 40 in. Crepe de Chines in the wanted shades, very special indeed at per yard\$1.39
One lot of silk chiffon 40 in. wide in a very large assortment of shades. Formerly worth \$1 and \$1.25, now only59c
One table of fancy taffetas 36 in. wide, very special.....\$1.85
One table of Pussy Willow taffetas and crepe meteors, unusual values, choice\$1.98



\$6.00 Silk Chiffon velvets now reduced to\$4.95
Costume velvet worth up to \$3.00, 36 in. wide, choice\$1.98
27 in. Costume velvet all shades, now\$1.25
One lot of Silvertone burrella cloth, one of the season's prettiest all wool materials, choice per yard\$1.98
Three tables of very desirable wool materials at.....75c, 98c, \$1.39
One lot of all wool challies 27 in. wide, very special49c
One lot of allover laces and nets, varying in width from 18 to 36 in., formerly worth from \$1.00 to \$3.00 per yard, in a great clearance at per yard.....39c
Very special offering of dress trimmings, choice per yard10c
One lot trimmings very special per yard, choice25c
All fur trimmings atOne-half price

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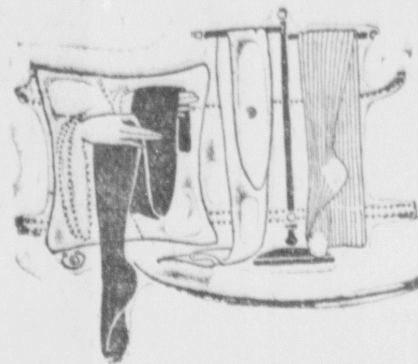
Serve and Save



STUTSON'S

Hosiery and Underwear

Included in This Great Clearaway



One lot of small sized vests and pants, very special at19c
Misses' grey wool vest and pants, clearance price68c
Ladies' Bloomers in black or white, good quality at39c
Ladies' Bloomers in black or white, extra

We have quite a few Fancy Silk Hose in broken sizes that we have reduced for quick clearance. Just one or two of a kind but certainly great bargains at.....98c

We have quite a number of Ladies' Fibre Hose in all sizes but light colors that will be found excellent at.....49c

quality at79c
Broken sizes in Children's black knit pants and bloomers, now39c
Ladies' heavy fleece lined union suits, all styles and sizes from 36 to 44, special....69c
Ladies' two piece fleeced suits in all sizes from 34 to 44 very special per garment...45c



Lakeside Bleached Muslin per yard12 1/2c
Red Rows Bleached Muslin per yard15c
Hope Bleached Muslin per yard17 1/2c

PEPPERELL TUBING IN ALL WIDTHS REDUCED DURING THIS SALE.

36 in. wide24c
38 in. wide25c
40 in. wide26c
42 in. wide27c
44 in. wide28c
50 in. wide30c
Pepperell Bleached 9-4 Sheeting now per yard45c
Pepperell Bleached 10-4 Sheeting, now per yard47c

Kindergarden Cloth at the old price, choice25c

Very special table of both light and dark Outings, extra heavy, during this sale, choice per yd.....16 2/3c

All Cheviots reduced to yd.....18c

All Lancaster Gingham, now.....18c
All Calicoes reduced to per yd....13 1/2c
Extra quality Challie, 36 in. wide, 18c
Special sale of Toli du Noird, Bates and Gueritt Gingham, choice per yard16 2/3c
Choice of all Percale, now.....18c
Mercerized Table Linen yd.....25c, 35c, 50c, 75c
Extra quality Crash at...11c and 15c

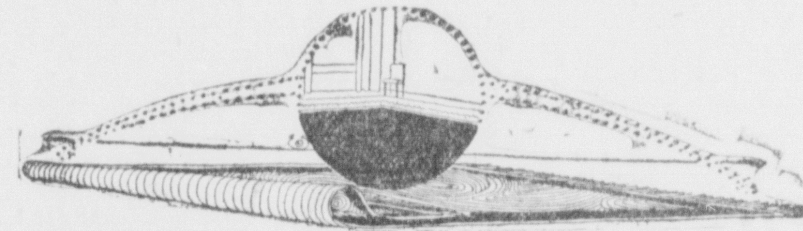


You Could Hardly Expect The Domestic Department

to have many offerings in this sale, but by reading the items carefully you will at once see it is "doing its bit towards relieving high prices."

Special home made Comforts, full size, very special each.....\$3.25
Home made Comforts, covered with heavy outing, special\$3.75
Heavy Cotton Blankets, 66x76 in white only, now\$1.79
Heavy Cotton Blankets in size 72x84 in tan only, now.....\$1.95
Heavy Plaid Blankets, wool finish 72x84 very special each.....\$3.95
Special table of Outing Skirts choice at59c

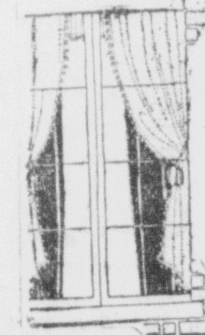
The Basement Offers Its Share of Good Things for This Great Clearance Sale



Could Anything Be More Welcome than a Sale of Rugs and Linoleums? Many people would say it is foolish to have a sale of this kind for prices are going higher every day, but we always have had an offering of this kind, so we have decided to offer all Rugs and Linoleums at **TEN PER CENT DISCOUNT.** If you contemplate buying either of these above items soon, **DO IT NOW,** for you will pay more later on.

Buy Curtains For Future Needs

You will find exceptional values in Curtains during this sale. Prepare now for your next house cleaning.
One lot of lace curtains formerly worth 50c per pr., now only...29c
One lot of desirable lace curtains formerly worth \$1.50, now....\$1
One lot of assorted styles and materials, regular \$2.50, now...\$1.69



A large assortment of suit cases formerly worth \$1.50 and \$2.00, now \$1.29, \$1.69
Regular \$1.50 Ironing Board priced in this clearance sale at only.....\$1.19
One table of fancy waste baskets very special, but priced for quick clearance...39c

Final Reduction on Millinery

Choice of any Ladies' Hat \$1.98

This includes every hat we have and some are worth up to \$18.50. Here is a golden opportunity to secure a hat that not only will be suitable for present but next season's wear.

Children's Hats Now 49c

This includes the most expensive hats up to \$2.50 and is a chance to save a great deal. As you know, the style of children's hats change little, if any, so these will be as good next season as this.

ALL Sweaters Now Reduced

Many will take advantage of this reduction on Sweaters for the prices next winter will almost be double what they are today. Both Women's and Children's Sweaters are now offered at—

1-4 Off



Social and Personal

Marked by unusual and animated discussion upon subjects of pertinent interest, the Browning Club entered upon the new year with zest at Tuesday night's meeting.

Mrs. Martha E. Mark, President, was in the chair, for the opening business and nomination of officers for next week's election.

Mrs. Ethel Jackson, chairman of the History department, presided during the program.

Miss Lillian Davis favored the club with an exquisite interpretation of Moskowski's "Spanish Caprice"—a very beautiful scintillating composition.

There was but one formal paper on a subject fertile in its possibilities "Can Man Abolish War?"

It was a wonderful paper, both in thought, suggestion and diction as presented by Mrs. Maggie Hopkins.

The writer traced briefly those pages of history dark with war through the ancient and middle ages up to the present; marking those epochs in barbarism by no means exceeding the barbarity involved in the present conflict.

She touched upon the Geneva Conferences, The Hague Convention and other peace conferences and showed how, while much has been done towards ameliorating conditions attendant upon war, there has not yet been found means of abolishing war.

It is the puzzle of the ages why representative men have not been able to establish a court of justice in which differences of nations may be adjusted as are those of men.

Not until the principles which Christ came to teach are established upon earth and are exemplified in lives can men hope to abolish war.

Mrs. Hopkins quoted, in closing these beautiful lines of Edwin Markham:

And men will wonder over it—
This red up-flaming of the pit,
And they will gather as friends and say,

"Come let us try the Master's way
Ages we've tried the way of swords
And earth is weary of hostile hordes
Comrades read out His words again
They are the only hope for men!
Love and not hate must come to birth
Christ and not Cane must rule the earth."

The subject, "War Work for Women" was widely discussed as were also two interesting articles, one by Herbert Kauffman on "What of the Wives They Have Left Behind," read by Mrs. Mark and the other a resume of "The Opinions of Many Great Men on the Subject Will this War be a Blight or a Blessing," by Mrs. Olive P. Blakeley.

In compliment to her daughter, Mrs. Byron Gifford, of Grand Rapids, Mich., Mrs. J. L. Rothrock pleasantly entertained half a dozen of the friends of Mrs. Gifford's closest intimacies at an informal knitting party Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Gifford, whose return visits are always the excuse for charming little affairs, was radiant in a modish gown of black satin with rolled collar and trimmings of white satin and her vivacity and charm impressed themselves anew in the little coterie from which she has been so greatly missed.

Mrs. Ray Maynard is entertaining the same little group this afternoon.

The Cecilians prefaced their Tuesday afternoon's program with the annual election putting in office Mrs. Nina Craig, Pres. Mrs. Winnie Wilson Shoop, Vice-Pres.; Miss Mabel Briggs Rec. Secy.; Mrs. Ida M. Pine, Cor. Secy.; Miss Del Lanum, Treas.

Miss Edith Gardner, retiring President, presided with her usual grace through a delightful program, to which each artist let her best efforts.

The following numbers were given: Piano—Ballade Gebhardt

Song—"Rose of the World" Miss Beulah Harbison

Piano—(a) Sea Songs
(b) A. D. 1620 MacDowell

Piano—(a) Please Do
(b) The Trysting Place MacDowell

Piano—(a) Natilla
(b) To the Sea MacDowell

Song—Good Night Beloved Nevin

Piano—Reveries Delbussy

Piano Duet—Mrs. Morna B. Chapman
Mrs. W. E. Robinson.

Mrs. F. E. Resler was the hostess to the Ladies Reading Circle yesterday afternoon at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. H. Kennebrew, on North Highlands. Mrs. Gessner T.

Smith was leader; Miss Ella Sherrod made a talk on "Treasures of Art Galleries and Museums," and an interesting paper was read by Mrs. T. F. McBeath, who had as her subject "The Recent Figure Painters of America." After "Art Chat" by those present, little Billups Bader came in with his arms filled with pretty carnations, which he gave the guests. Delicious refreshments were later served.

Among the visitors who were present were Mrs. Peck, of Moline, Ill.; Mrs. Harry Bell, of Atlanta, and Mrs. J. T. Kirk, of Storkville—Sunday's Columbus Commercial, Columbus, Miss.

The young women of the "Philadelphia Class" held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Earl Noble, Tuesday night.

Mrs. Harry Ankrom assisted Mrs. Noble as the evening's hostesses and the evening was one of cordial hospitality and much pleasure.

A social hour and refreshments followed the routine of business.

The Daughters of the American Revolution are planning to make the Military Enchre and Knitting Party of Thursday afternoon, to be held at the home of Mrs. M. S. Daugherty, as thoroughly delightful an affair as was its predecessor of New Year's Day.

All women are invited to attend and those expecting to do so are asked to kindly notify Mrs. Ray Maynard or Mrs. George Robinson.

Mrs. R. S. Quinn left Tuesday, for a stay of some weeks at Hot Springs, Ark., for the benefit of his health.

Mrs. Alex. H. Ballard and little daughter, Carolyn, went to Troy, Wednesday to visit Mrs. Ballard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geiger and to attend the wedding of Miss Katharine Dale and Mr. Giffith Knoop, at which the small Carolyn will be flower girl. The wedding will be a large church affair, solemnized at high noon Thursday.

Mrs. V. P. Smith is spending a couple of days with her daughter, Mrs. William Morgan, in Springfield.

Mrs. Daniel H. VanWinkle was called to Columbus Wednesday by the illness of her sister, Mrs. C. C. Philbrick.

Miss Lavon Cockerill is in Columbus to take the course at Bliss Business College.

Mr. Fred West left Tuesday for a few days stay in Chicago on business before going on to his farm at Saskatchewan, Ca., for a short stay.

Messrs. Wert Shoop and James Hagerty are attending the Leather Convention in Chicago and meeting P. Hagerty Shoe Co. buyers from western territory.

Mrs. James Ford is spending a couple of days in Columbus.

Mrs. George Haynes is a business visitor in Columbus.

Mrs. Emma Noble of Bloomingburg went to Columbus, Wednesday, to visit her daughter.

Mr. Stephen Mayo spent Wednesday at Camp Sherman with his son Frank Mayo.

Washington friends of Mrs. Lulu H. Robinson and grandson, Robert Baird will be interested to know that they expect to leave East Orange N. Jersey, Thursday for the south. They will make their headquarters at Darling S. Carolina, near Columbia, where Robert will take treatments of a noted chiropractor.

Mrs. I. N. Eyre left Tuesday evening for Orlando, Fla., to spend the remainder of the winter with her daughter, Miss May Eyre.

Robert Merriweather went to Cincinnati the first of the week, where he passed the final examination for the Officers' Reserve of the Aviation Corps, but will return home for a two weeks' stay before going into training camp. He was accompanied by Milton Wetzell, who returned Tuesday evening, leaving young Merriweather for a few days, while he is recovering from a nasal operation, which was necessary before he could go into service.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Dunn were shopping visitors from Sabina Wednesday.

Mrs. B. A. Schadel and children have returned from spending the holidays with Mrs. Schadel's mother, in Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Coffman are announcing the birth of a son on Tuesday evening.

Private Sherman Brownell has been sent from Fort Thomas Ky., to Camp Taylor, Kentucky for a few days until he receives a permanent assignment.

Mr. J. H. Culhan spent Wednesday in Chillicothe on business.

Ralph Mayer and Selsor Fenner were among Wednesday's visitors in Columbus.

NEW SCHOOL HEAD IN CLINTON COUNTY

Prof. Harry Hodson has been employed as Superintendent of the Clinton County Public Schools at a salary of \$2100 per annum, for a period of two years.

Supt. Hodson takes the place of Supt. J. L. Cadwallander.

\$5 AND COSTS FOR TAKING COAL

Monday night the police suddenly appeared on the scene where a wagon was being loaded with coal from a B. & O. train between South Main and South Fayette streets, and they succeeded in getting the horse and wagon, and about one ton of coal, but the man made good his escape.

Tuesday the matter was taken up and an affidavit filed against Lewis White for taking the coal. He was fined the minimum of \$5 and the costs with warning that the next time would bring a much heavier fine.

DIVORCE ACTION FROM JEFFERSONVILLE

In the common pleas court Edith Smith has filed action for divorce from Bernard Smith, of Jeffersonville, charging him with neglect of duty, and alleging that the defendant has wholly failed and refused to pay certain alimony decreed by the same court in a previous action involving alimony.

Plaintiff asks divorce and other relief, and is represented by Rankin & Rankin.

D. A. R. EXTENDS CORDIAL INVITATION

The Daughters of the American Revolution will hold a second Military Enchre and Knitting party at the home of Mrs. M. S. Daugherty, Thursday afternoon at two o'clock.

All women are cordially invited to attend and those who are planning to accept will please notify Mrs. Ray Maynard or Mrs. George A. Robinson.

A charge of twenty-five cents will be made to each player.

It is hoped that a sufficient sum will be raised at this affair to complete the local chapters quota for the D. A. R. lodge at Camp Sherman.

NOT A SLACKER

By Associated Press Dispatch. Cleveland, O., January 9.—Harris Wilson, of this city, denies that he is a slacker. In an explanation to the selective service officials as to why he failed to register, he said:

"I don't know what address I could have given. On registration day I was down and out and a guest of the New York Central railroad—in fact, I was making my home in one of that company's box cars."

"They're not all that candid," Secretary Wilford H. Keeling said.

DISPLAY OF COAL SOLD FOR FUEL

By Associated Press Dispatch. Van Wert, O., January 9.—A lump of coal weighing more than a ton and used for years by local coal firms as an advertisement in front of their offices, has been sold to F. J. Houser for \$10. Houser could not obtain coal from any other source and his children were said to be suffering from cold. The lump of coal—which originally weighed more than two tons—was dragged to the Houser home by means of two strong horses and a strong chain, and was broken up into lumps small enough to use in a furnace or stove.

LEAVE WASHTUBS FOR RAILROADS

By Associated Press Dispatch. Mansfield, O., January 9.—Washer women are deserting their tubs for the railroads. The women can get work at a local roundhouse wiping engines. This work pays better than washing. The work is dirty but the women are looking at the difference in the amount in the pay envelope.

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SUES FOR DIVORCE



MRS. ELIZABETH P. HAMILTON

Charging desertion and cruel treatment, Mrs. Elizabeth Proctor Hamilton, of Philadelphia, has filed suit for divorce against her husband, Arthur Gould Hamilton, of New York. Mrs. Hamilton is the daughter of Mrs. E. K. Lincoln, wife of a rich film producer of New York, and William F. Proctor, vice-president of the Singer Sewing Machine Company. Mr. Hamilton recently served with the American Ambulance Corps in France.

SHIP CONSTRUCTION IS BEING RETARDED

Washington, Jan. 9.—Testifying at the senate shipbuilding inquiry, Homer L. Ferguson, president of the Newport News Shipbuilding company, estimated the country's output of merchant ships in 1918 at 3,000,000 tons. Estimates frequently made at from 5,000,000 to 8,000,000 tons, he declared, were misleading to the public and should not be permitted to go unchallenged.

The greatest obstacle now in the way of rapid construction, Mr. Ferguson said, is poor housing facilities for shipyard workers. His story of housing conditions at Newport News so stirred the committee that a subcommittee, comprising Chairman Fletcher and Senator Harding, was appointed to confer with the proper government officials, with a view to obtaining immediate relief there and elsewhere.

The testimony of Mr. Ferguson, for 17 years a naval constructor, made a visible impression on the committee. He did not hesitate to criticize the shipping board and the emergency fleet corporation and held them to blame in large measure for the slow development of the government's program.

"The housing problem," Mr. Ferguson declared, "is one of the most vital facing the government in the conduct of the war. You can not get the ships unless houses are provided for workmen. We want to add 5,000 men to our force and there is nowhere in Newport News for them to live. I understand that conditions elsewhere are equally as bad."

"There is no limit to the amount of ships this country can build if it really sets itself to the task. The shipyards already built, and those building, can turn out 5,000,000 tons of ships annually under proper conditions, and the country could, if put to it, add still other yards and produce 10,000,000 tons a year. But it can not be done without man power, and man power can not be obtained unless housing is provided."

"It is just as necessary for the government to build houses for shipyard workers as it is for soldiers. It must do it if it gets ships. If I had the power I would commandeer houses and I think the government should do this. There is talk of working men two and three shifts. In our yard we have not enough men to work one shift and in house I know of 18 persons are living in five rooms. We have not the money to build houses and it is the duty of the government to put them up. We are ready to furnish the land."

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. Edwin Jones of Millwood was operated upon this morning at the Fayette Hospital.

Leona Morgan was able to leave the Fayette Hospital Wednesday afternoon and return to her home at Jeffersonville.

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PALACE No Show To-Night

Return Engagement by Popular Request, of

Tomorrow **WM. S. HART**
Matinee 2:30.

Hell's Hinges

Positively the greatest photodrama this noted Bad Man ever appeared in

COMING TUESDAY! The Wonderful Fairyland Production "BABES IN THE WOOD"

OHIO NEWS

(By American Press)

Found Frozen to Death.

Greenville, O., Jan. 9.—Mrs. Jane Farmer, 70, a widow living alone, was found frozen to death near here by neighbors. She had a coal shovel in her hand. The presumption is that she had gone to a shed for coal when she fell, and, being unable to rise, died from exposure.

Thrown Into the Sea.

Wilmington, O., Jan. 9.—John C. Fisher of this city was accidentally drowned while deep sea fishing with L. J. Cramer off Lake Erie, Florida, during a storm. A monster wave struck the stern of the boat, causing the tiller to give a violent jerk, throwing Fisher out into the water.

Fire Attacks Chain Plant.

Columbus, Jan. 9.—Fire started by the ignition of asphaltum almost totally wrecked the plant of the American Chain company here. Edwin Lescollette, a millwright, lost his life and several others were injured. The plant handled government contracts. The property loss is placed at \$125,000.

Laundryman Decapitated.

Delaware, O., Jan. 9.—T. E. Fox, 55, was decapitated in a boiler explosion which wrecked the Home laundry, of which he was proprietor. The explosion was caused by Fox turning cold water into the empty tubes of the boiler under which a hot fire was burning. The entire rear end of the laundry structure was torn out.

May Remain Fair Manager.

Columbus, Jan. 9.—E. V. Walborn of Van Wert likely will remain state fair manager. The salary is \$2,600 a year. He ranks highest in the list certified as eligible for permanent appointment by the state civil service commission. Thomas F. O'Mara, also formerly of Van Wert, now assistant manager, ranks second in the list, and Hosea F. Meyer, Marion, third.

Agents For Thrift Stamps.

Columbus, Jan. 9.—Each of the 700 public utilities in Ohio is to be enlisted in the campaign for distribution of United States war savings and thrift stamps, according to the announcement at headquarters of the Ohio war savings committee. The utilities have been requested to become agents for the sale of stamps, not only to the people in their employ, but to the public generally.

Corn Club Winner Announced.

Columbus, Jan. 9.—Richard Simmonds of Cleves, Hamilton county, raised an average of 102.64 bushels of corn an acre on 10 acres, and thereby won the state championship in the Hundred Bushel Corn club contest given by Ohio State university. E. J. Riggs, Gallipolis, with 101 bushels, and E. L. Johnson, Painesville, 100 bushels, were the only others in the state to exceed the 100 mark.

HAD THE GRIP THREE WEEKS.

With January comes lagrippe. Lingering colds seem to settle in the system, causing one to ache all over, feel feverish and chilly, tired, heavy and drooping. Mrs. Lizzie Tyles, Henderson, Ky., writes: "My daughter had lagrippe for three weeks. I gave her Foley's Honey and Tar and now she is all right." Blackmer & Tanquary.

Tomorrow is the last discount day for gas and electric light bills.

FOR RENT—Semi-modern 5 room house, Oak street, Inquire Ida Hays.

FOR SALE—Gas heater. Call Bell phone 124-R.

WANTED—To rent, farm on thirds, can give good reference. Ernest Polard, R. R. 3, Greenfield, O., phone 2162.

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One of the greatest and grandest dramatic productions on the market today

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TOMORROW

Ethel Barrymore, the superb Metro star, will appear in

The Eternal Mother

a wonderplay of romance and mother love

Next Week

Mary Pickford in "Pride of the Clan." "The Great White Trail" and a good western drama with Wm. S. Hart.

Friday, January 11

Kathlyn Williams & Wallace Reid
IN

"Big Timbers"

A Beautiful Romance of California

SAT.--Billie West in Chief Cook

ANNUAL ELECTION OF OFFICERS HELD BY BANKS TUESDAY

Most of the Banking Institutions of the County Reorganize—Few Changes Made in Personnel—Banks Enjoy Prosperous Year.

Most of the financial institutions of the county held their annual election of officers, Tuesday afternoon, and in this city no changes were made in the officials of the banks holding their elections.

In Jeffersonville a new president was chosen for the Citizens' Bank. Mr. Eugene Booco succeeding Mr. Joseph Straley, and Mr. Straley succeeding E. D. Straley being added to the list of Directors, and Geo. Crumrine succeeding his father, James' Crumrine.

Virtually all of the banks report a very prosperous year, and all institutions are in healthy financial condition generally.

THEY'LL 'GET' THAT

There is no mistaking the meaning of the President's statements made yesterday; and there will be no doubt in your mind of the saving possibilities of our NEW COMPLETE service after you try it just once. Make it this week.

Get The Facts—Washed—Ironed—Delivered.

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GRIGGS & BARRERE
THE NEW POST CARD ART STUDIO
4 for 50c, \$1.00 Per Doz.
Amateur Work Promptly Finished.
Studio opposite Court House
NORTH MAIN STREET, upstairs
over Geibelhouse Pool Room.

The Fayette Grain Co.

Announces that on and after this date, in compliance with the resolution of the Board of Directors, everything sold at our elevator will be for cash and that beginning January 10th all present open accounts on the books unsettled at that time will be subjected to an interest charge of 6 per cent.

This charge is made necessary in order to meet the government's requests for conservation.

The results of the various reorganizations follow:

Midland National.
President, S. W. Cissna; vice-president, Viola F. Stuckey; cashier, M. S. Daugherty; assistant cashier, Scott Hopkins; Teller, H. E. Daugherty. Directors—S. W. Cissna, Viola F. Stuckey, Scott Hopkins, M. S. Daugherty, Walter W. Hamilton.

Peoples' & Drivers' Bank.
President, Judge Joseph Hidy; Vice-President, J. Earl McLean; Cashier, R. T. McClure; Assistant Cashier, Floyd C. Elliott. Directors—Joseph Hidy, J. Earl McLean, Frank Johnson, Herman Jones, William H. Thornton.

Savings Bank & Trust Co.
President, George Jackson; vice-presidents, Geo. Inskip and Reuben Rankin; secretary and treasurer, C. U. Armstrong; assistant secretary and treasurer, Herbert Chapman; counsel, F. A. Chaffin. Directors—Reuben Rankin, George Jackson, Frank E. Haines, George Inskip, W. H. Dial, F. A. Chaffin, J. M. Klever, Isaac Cory and C. U. Armstrong.

Commercial Bank
Annual election held March 1st of each year.

Fayette County Bank.
The following directors of the Fayette County Bank were chosen, and they will reorganize within a day or two: Mrs. Wm. Worthington, James Ford, W. M. Campbell, W. E. Ireland and Robert Howat.

Farmers Bank, Jeffersonville.
President, Nathan Creamer; vice-president, Eli Mock; cashier, J. H. Garlough; assistant cashier, L. A. Kessler. Directors—Eli Mock, Nathan Creamer, Jahua Compton, J. H. Garlough, G. S. Therkeld, E. L. Bush, H. W. Duff, J. R. Vannorsdall, Gilbert L. Bush.

Citizens Bank, Jeffersonville.
President, Eugene Booco; vice-presidents, N. C. Wilcox, James A. Smith; cashier, Silas M. Taggart; assistant cashier, S. H. Mowery. Directors: E. D. Straley, N. C. Wilcox, Frank Snodgrass, Joseph Straley, James A. Smith, Frank E. Wilson, Geo. Crumrine, A. J. Hoppes, Paschael Glass, C. A. Garringer and Eugene Booco.

Peoples Bank, Bloomington.
Directors—C. P. West, J. M. Willis, W. Q. Kinkead, A. F. Haines, J. M. McClure, Robert Jefferson, J. Y. Stitt. Reorganization next Tuesday.

Milledgeville Bank.
Election will be held within few days.

Farmers Bank, Good Hope.
Election held this afternoon.
First National, New Holland.
President, A. L. Hyde; vice president, A. T. Vincent; cashier, W. C. Crawford. Directors—A. L. Hyde, A. T. Vincent, M. S. Bartholomew, Geo. K. C. McCafferty.

Boost Washington; Buy at home.

UNIQUE PRACTICE IS OBSERVED BY A FLORIDA PAPER

The Herald is in receipt of a copy of the St. Petersburg (Fla.) Independent, forwarded by Dr. J. M. Boyd, who is now sojourning in that city, and the copy of the paper was issued free to everybody, because the sun did not shine on the day that it was issued—January 3rd.

St. Petersburg is known as the "Sunshine City," and 88 months ago The Independent conceived the idea of issuing free of charge the regular edition of the paper when the sun had not shone up to the time of going to press.

In this connection, the following notice carried in the paper will be of unusual interest:

"The Independent is a FREE paper today.

"Don't pay the newsboys, carriers or anyone else for a copy.

"It is given away, absolutely free to everybody, because the sun has not shone upon the city today, up to the hour of going to press.

"This is the forty-sixth time the papers have been given away under The Independent's SUNSHINE OFFER, although the offer has stood continuously for over 88 months and through all seasons of the year.

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Copies of The Independent are being given away free on the streets and at the office to every one who asks for one. For the regular subscribers a record is kept and each time we have had six sunshinest days each subscriber's credit is advanced one week. Every subscriber was given a full week's FREE credit August 23, 1917.

"This offer of The Independent has attracted attention all over the United States and has been a great advertising feature for St. Petersburg. The Independent is 'game,' and the offer still stands to prove to the world that St. Petersburg has more sunshiny days than any other place in the United States—excepting the western deserts."

MUCH INTEREST IN MEETINGS HELD

The series of evangelistic services at McNair Memorial church, being conducted by Rev. Rejy, are moving forward with increasing interest, and each evening the services begin at 7:00 o'clock, with a half-hour of song, followed by the sermon at 7:30.

Tuesday evening Rev. Rejy spoke on: "Eternity—Where Will You Spend It?" A solo by Mrs. Carrie Cripps and a duet by Mrs. Barnes and daughter, were features of the musical program Tuesday evening.

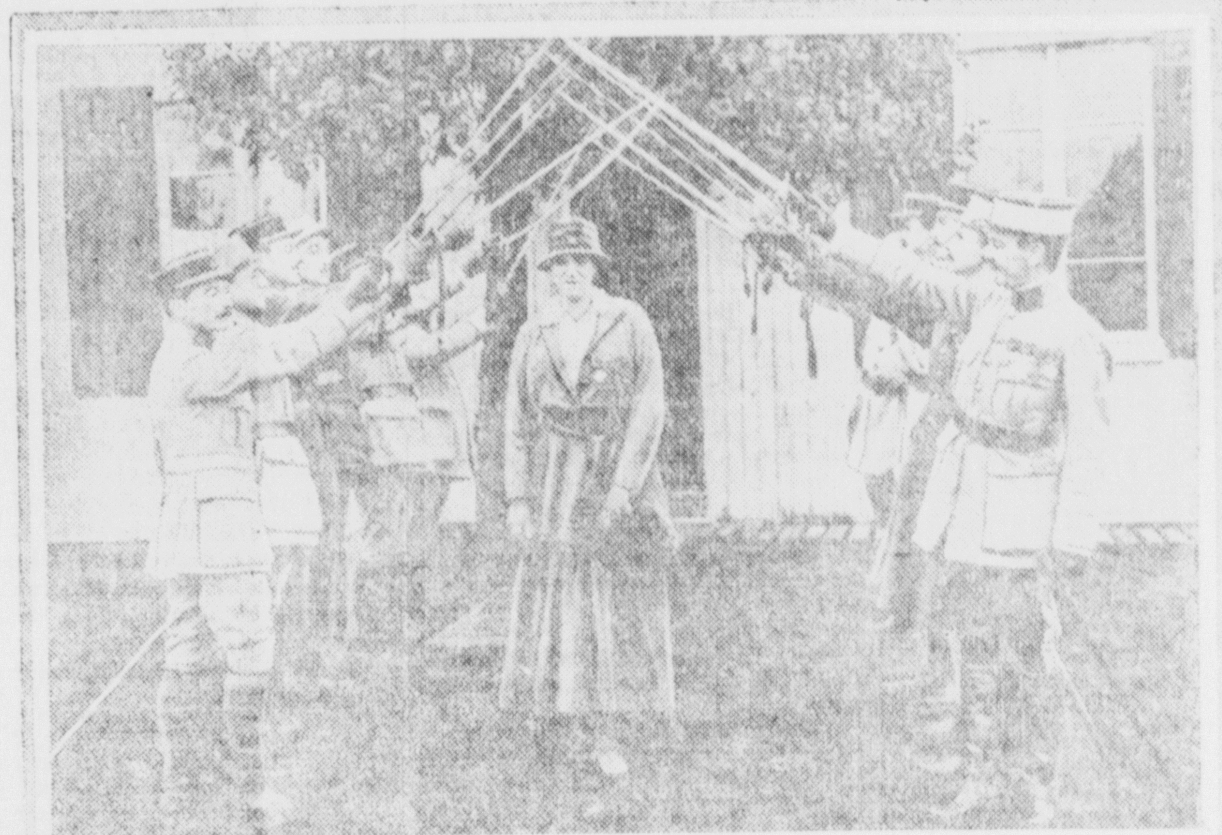
FORMER RESIDENT DIES IN COLORADO

Relatives in Jeffersonville received a telegram Tuesday evening, announcing the death of Miss Maggie Bennett, aged 77 years, at her home in Denver, Colorado.

Miss Bennett was a former well known resident of Jeffersonville, and went to Denver a few years ago.

Disposition of the body has not been announced, but interment may be made in the Jeffersonville cemetery.

GEORGIE TYFE WINS FRENCH WAR CROSS



Georgie Tyfe was awarded the French War Cross for distinguished bravery under fire at the recent battle of Flanders. She is shown passing under the arch of swords formed by French officers in her honor immediately after she had been decorated with the war cross.

NERVES BACK IN SHAPE SINCE TANLAC CAME

Cincinnati Woman Felt Blue and Discouraged a Great Deal Until Tonic Built Up Her System.

Mrs. W. Willard, 141 West Seventh street, Cincinnati, used to worry about almost every thing and she felt blue and discouraged nearly all the time but it's different since she took Tanlac and got her run down system back in shape.

"I was nervous and my system was all rundown," Mrs. Willard said. "I was so nervous that I couldn't sleep very well at night. I'd be awake for a long time before I could get to sleep at all and then I'd wake up very little bit through the rest of the night.

"I was blue and discouraged and worried about almost everything. It seemed that I couldn't find anything that would build me up."

"Finally, I heard about Tanlac and decided to try it. It has helped me more than anything I ever took. My nerves are back in such good shape that I can sleep as well as I ever did before. I took four bottles of Tanlac in all."

If you are nervous and run down get Tanlac and get your system back in shape. Don't put it off. Delay in health matters is dangerous. You can get Tanlac at Blackmer & Tanquary's drug store, Frank Christopher's drug store or C. S. Haver's drug store.

NO SERVICES TONIGHT AT WESLEY CHAPEL

Preaching service in charge of Rev. John Near, which it was announced would be held at Wesley Chapel tonight, have been postponed on account of the bad weather. Services will be held instead next Wednesday night, January 16th.

Tomorrow is the last discount day for gas and electric light bills.

MEMOIR.

Ludlum.

Flora Estella Lambert was born June 2, 1875, in Fayette county, Ohio, and died at her latter home with her parents, Adam and Mary Lambert in Fayette county, Ohio, December 28, 1917, aged 42 years, 7 months and 26 days. She was united in marriage to Edward C. Ludlum November 18, 1896.

She was parted in life in 1914 from Mr. Ludlum and made the remainder of her days with her parents.

She first united with the M. E. church of Dayton, Ohio, and in 1913 she removed her membership to Cedarville M. E. church. She leaves to mourn her loss her aged parents and one brother, Earl A. Lambert, of Dayton, O., and one sister, Edna M. Horney of Jamestown, O.

She will long be remembered by a host of friends and we long to await the meeting of our dear beloved one in the Kingdom of our Lord.

Rev. B. E. McKinnon, pastor of the M. P. church of Jeffersonville, officiated, using for his text the scripture chosen by the deceased, from the 14th chapter of John.

Interment was made in the Milledgeville cemetery.

NOT DISPATCHED UNDER OLD RULE

Today 17 additional men of Clinton county were to have been dispatched to Camp Sherman for military training, being the remainder of the first quota from that county, and they were to have been sent under the old ruling and not under the new questionnaire ruling.

When the orders to send the men were received the question of just how they should be chosen was taken up. The District Board insisted that they should be drawn under the new questionnaire method, and the Adjutant General insisted that the old rule should be effective.

Most of the men were farmers who had been temporarily exempted, and whose exemptions expired January 2nd, and the matter attracted such widespread attention that the District Board granted permanent discharges and no men were sent.

1918 DIARIES
Fancy Calendars, Calendar pads, etc., at Rodecker's News Stand.

ELMWOOD AID SOCIETY

The Elmwood Ladies aid society will meet with Mrs. Emily Hush on Leesburg Ave., Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mrs. West Bush will assist. All members are urged to be present as this is the annual election of officers and payment of dues.

S. S. UNIT OF LEAGUE

The Sunny Side unit of the Women's League will hold their regular meeting on Thursday afternoon in the school building. All ladies having finished articles will please bring them as the box will be packed on Thursday.

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FOR RENT—Semi-modern five-room house, Columbus ave. See Mrs. Elizabeth Browning at Smith's store. 5 tf

FOR RENT—3 room cottage, 252 Henkle street, Automatic phone 8991. 5 16

FOR RENT—6 room house, out buildings corner lot. Soft and hard water, small garden spot. Phones Automatic 5183 or 3351, Bell 268 R. 303 tf

FOR RENT—Six room house on Blackstone avenue. Payette Renting Agency Rooms 6 and 7 Payette Bldg. 287 tf

FOR RENT—7 room house, bath, furnace, electric light and all conveniences. Inquire Dr. R. M. Hughey. 283 tf

FOR RENT—Half of double house on Paint street, six rooms and fully equipped bath room. Both kinds of water and gas. W. A. Saunders. 267 tf

FOR RENT—One half double house on Elm Street, five rooms, gas, water. Call automatic 22771. 255 tf

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—7 room house, gas, bath, corner lot, paved streets. Call Auto 5861. 6 16

FOR SALE—6 room house, gas, out buildings, alley lot. Call Auto 9851. 6 16

FOR SALE—Strictly modern house all conveniences, close up. Bargain. Call Automatic phone 9801. 6 16

FOR SALE—Barred Rock cockerels. S. M. Roush, Bell phone. 5 126

FOR SALE—Fair best Corroet Weight Grocer's scales. Hitchcock & Dalbey's office. 4 16

FOR SALE—2 Prairie State Incubators. Mrs. Harry D. Taylor. 3 16

FOR SALE—Cheap, good enclosed wagon, suitable for either milk or delivery wagon. Auto 9774. 2 16

FOR SALE—Auto wreckage at A. C. Henkle's. Parts for Overlands, Studebakers, Maxwells, Regals, 1910 Oakland, 1912 Buick, Stoddard Dayton 7 passenger and springs for almost all cars. Several good radiators, no leaks in. Magnetos and a few carburetors. 1 126

FOR SALE—1 horse and three wagons, 1 buggy, 2 sets harness; cheap. Jesse Moore, 323 Forest St. 6 16

FOR SALE—A small farm close to city, good house and barn and out buildings, several fruit trees, on good pike, would trade for a larger farm. Address Mrs. Alida Merriweather, 511 Baltimore street, Middletown, Ohio. 305 tf

FOR SALE—Modern six room house. Bell 217 W. 2. 305 tf

FOR SALE—House of six rooms, phone Automatic 8831. 302 tf

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Cockerills, Clark Rogers, Citizens' phone, Bloomington 4 on 121. 299 tf

FOR SALE—Leather upholstered davenport. Call Auto 2471. 285 tf

FOR SALE—Our entire stock of Storm Buggies for quick cash or short time sale at the old price, no advance. 100 Ford Firestone inner tubes \$2.25 each while they last. Patterson, in Greenfield. 268 tf

FOR SALE—Underwood typewriter, good condition. One large iron safe. A bargain. The Ortmann Motor Company. 244 tf

WANTED

WANTED—Work as general repair man in blacksmith shop. Experienced. Call Bell phone 455x. 6 13

WANTED—Married man to work on farm. J. A. Anders & Son. 6 16

WANTED—Married man to work on farm. House furnished. Good wages to right party. Ira Metzger, Austin, Citizen phone 3 and 3 on 65, Frank Fort Exchange. 4 16

WANTED—I take care of all the details of vault cleaning. Call Fred Howard, Automatic 3551. 298 tf

MONEY LOANED—On live stock, chattels and second mortgages. Notes bought. John Harbline, Jr., Allen Building, Xenia, Ohio. 4-39 18

WANTED—To buy your old feather beds. Haynes Furniture Company. 185 tf

YOUR FURNITURE—Reinforced in French Gray, Old Ivory, Mission or to match your hangings. Upholstering and re-polishing. For estimates and samples see Haynes Furniture Company. 185 tf

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Jewelry, claw setting between Worrell's Jewelry Store and Cherry Hotel. Finder return to Her old office and receive reward. 6 16

LOST—Coach dog, with brass collar. Liberal reward if returned to Virginia Campbell. 3 16

LOST—Leather wallet containing some valuable papers. Finder please return to James T. Coldiron, Bell phone 715-W. 297 tf

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MINERS HIT BY SHORTAGE OF COAL CARS

(By American Press)

Columbus, Jan. 9.—At the opening of their twenty-ninth annual convention, United Mine Workers of Ohio adopted a resolution urging members to show their loyalty to the government by subscribing for as many war savings and thrift stamps as their means will permit. The resolution further recommends that local unions organize war savings societies and accept agencies for the sale of stamps.

"We must prove at this convention that Ohio mine workers are back of the boys in khaki," said John W. Moore, president of the Ohio organization, who presided. "We have no wage scale to consider, the affairs of the organization are in line shape, but this is the most important convention in our history," said Moore.

Frank J. Hayes of Indianapolis, international president, appealed to the miners to do their utmost to help the country in its war preparations. Mr. Hayes, who had been vice president, became president two months ago upon the resignation of John P. White of Iowa to enter the government war service.

William Green of Coshocton, international secretary, said Ohio miners have suffered more from car shortage than those of any other state. The Christmas pay of some was the smallest they had ever had, according to his statement. Reports show, he said, that miners are employed only about half the time. This is due to car shortage. An attempt to secure relief from this shortage will likely be made before the convention closes Friday. There is a sentiment to have the government take immediate steps.

Secretary Green said while there was suffering in every city and village in the state from lack of coal, miners were in enforced idleness. He wants the facts placed before the fuel and railroad authorities at Washington.

The miners' financial report shows the Ohio organization, Dec. 31, 1917, had \$170,413 cash on hand, as compared with \$48,661 a year previous. Receipts for the year were \$235,374 and expenditures \$64,961, including \$18,862 for officers' salaries and expenses.

Secretary Treasurer G. W. Savage reports that 200 delegates, representing 43,000 miners, are in attendance.

BIG RING DATES ARE ANNOUNCED

(By American Press)

Columbus, Jan. 9.—When stewards of the Grand circuit finished their tenth annual meeting here they revealed a set of dates that will start the trotters and jockeys going at Cleveland on July 8 and keep them in competition week after week until Oct. 18 at Atlanta. They go by weeks as follows: July 8, Cleveland, North Randall; July 15, Kalamazoo; July 22, Toledo; July 29, Columbus; Aug. 5, Cleveland; Aug. 12, Philadelphia; Aug. 19, Poughkeepsie; Aug. 26, Readville; Sept. 2, Hartford; Sept. 9, Syracuse; Sept. 16 (two weeks), Columbus; Sept. 23 (two weeks), Lexington; Oct. 14, Atlanta. H. K. Devereaux was continued as president of the organization.

IMPERIAL REBEKAH LODGE

There will be a called meeting of Imperial Rebekah Lodge No. 717 at I. O. O. F. Hall Wednesday evening, January 9th at 7:30 for balloting on candidates and other business. All member of the team, officers, characters and guards are urged to be present for drill.

SECRETARY.

MRS. WHITEHOUSE

New York Suffragist Sent Abroad on Government Mission.



Mrs. Whitehouse was selected by Chairman George Creed of the federal committee on public information as one of a group of prominent persons to bring to the German people, through neutral, the war aims and intentions of the American people. She is the first woman to go abroad on such a mission.

ANNUAL MEETING BAPTIST CHURCH

The Annual Business Meeting of the First Baptist Church will be held on next Thursday night at 7:30.

After brief devotional services reports of the year's work will be made by church officers and the heads of all departments, elections will be made of trustee to serve five years, treasurer, clerk, Sunday School Superintendent, assistant, organist, and assistant, chorister, and ushers.

This will be followed by a social reunion and refreshments.

All members are earnestly requested to be present.

CASE THROWN OUT OF MAYOR'S COURT

The case against Joe Beckman of New Holland, charging him with stealing a suit case and personal property from S. A. Reid, on whose farm Beckman was employed, was thrown out of Mayor Dahl's court Tuesday afternoon. The place of committing the crime was not established, so the man was dismissed on a technicality.

The case was previously tried in New Holland and thrown out as the offense was committed "somewhere in Fayette county."

It was the first case coming before the new mayor.

JESSE McCORD IS OFFERED GOOD JOB

Wm. McCord has received word through "The Morning Oregonian" of Portland, Oregon that his brother, Jesse McCord, formerly of Fayette county but now principal of the Montavilla school of Portland Oregon has been offered the position of northwest organizer for the Junior Red Cross in Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Alaska. He will accept the position if the school board will grant him a leave of absence during the war.

HAY AND STRAW FOR SALE by the bale, ton, or car load. H. R. Rodecker.

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WANT ENTERTAINERS AT CAMP SHERMAN

(By American Press)

Chillicothe, O., Jan. 9.—While health authorities of Camp Sherman are doing their utmost to stamp out the measles among the selects before it reaches alarming proportions, another germ enemy has made its appearance. Mumps cases have increased greatly in the last few days and steps are being taken to ward off its possible spread among the selects. There is no great number of cases of either measles or mumps among the men, but medical officers say the weather is just the right sort to make them fear epidemics of contagious diseases. Measles cases number 250, as compared with 70 a week ago.

Stanley Gaver, 25, a private in Battery C of the Three Hundred and Twenty-fourth heavy artillery, died at the base hospital from blood poisoning. His body will be shipped to Springfield.

Y. M. C. A. authorities here appealed to the people of the state for entertainers to present their offerings for the selects. They say that the bad weather has kept the men indoors to such an extent in the past month that the selects are not as cheerful as they might be. They say that entertainers of any kind will be welcomed, each open arms. They are wanted at once. Amusement Director Kirkendall said.

AUTO OVERTURNS NO ONE INJURED

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thomas Steers and child had a very narrow escape from serious injury Tuesday while on their way to this city when their automobile overturned.

The machine first turned about in the road and then turned over with the three inside. Fortunately no one was injured, and passersby assisted Mr. Steers in righting the machine, after which he continued his journey to this city.

YOUNG WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The regular meeting of the Young Women's Foreign Missionary Society of Grace Church will be held Thursday January 10th at 2:30 p. m. in the church parlors. Program in charge of Mrs. G. S. Hodson. Full attendance desired, business of importance. Visitors welcome.

MRS. HERBERT CHAPMAN, Press Corres.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Dr. E. H. McDonald, who was operated upon several weeks ago at the Fayette Hospital was able to return to his home in Bloomington, Tuesday morning.

Mrs. O. Robinson was able to leave the Fayette Hospital Tuesday morning and return to her home.

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